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Atty. Dkt. No. MARY/002

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Richardson, Kim L.

**Serial No.: 09/322,653**

Confirmation No.: 8325

**Filed: May 28, 1999**

**For: Method For Creating  
Interactive On-Line  
Memorials For Funeral  
Homes**

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**Group Art Unit: 2175**

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Dear Sir:

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 31, 2002**


This is in response to the Final Office Action dated July 31, 2002, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on October 31, 2002, which period for response has been extended three (3) months, up to and including January 31, 2003.

A request for extending the time for response is included herewith, including the requisite fee. To the extent any additional fees are due in conjunction with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/MARY/002/DHE, for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

This is intended as a full and complete response to the Office Action. Please enter the following amendments and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**  
**37 CFR 1.8**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on the dated below with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Box AF, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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